IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Shaun Lawrence Herlihy Confirmation No. 4899

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement is submitted in response to the December 27, 2007 Office Action. A response to the December 27, 2007 Office Action was due on January 27, 2008. A Petition for two month extension of time along with the appropriate fee is enclosed. Thus, this Response to Restriction Requirement is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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